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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

10 KANIKA BLEDSOE,
11 Plaintiff,

12 vs.
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14 METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE
15 COMPANY; COLGATE-PALMOLIVE
16 WELFARE BENEFIT PLAN,
17 Defendants.

Case No. 5:13-cv-02270 AB (SPx)

~~{PROPOSED}~~ JUDGMENT

18 Pursuant to the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law entered by this
19 Court on February 3, 2015, judgment is hereby entered against Defendants
20 Metropolitan Life Insurance Company ("MetLife") and Colgate-Palmolive Welfare
21 Benefit Plan ("the Plan") as follows:

22 1) Plaintiff is awarded back benefits in the amount of \$90,075.24. This
23 amount represents disability benefits for the period November 18, 2012, to February
24 18, 2015. The benefit calculation is predicated on the benefit amount which
25 MetLife was paying Plaintiff at the time her benefits were terminated, which took
26 into account an offset for Social Security Disability Benefits in the amount of
27 \$2,173.00 per month.
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2) Plaintiff is reinstated to the Plan and his claim is remanded to the Plan for consideration of additional benefits under applicable Plan criteria.

3) Plaintiff is permitted to make a Motion for Attorneys' Fees and for interest on the unpaid benefits. In order to give the parties sufficient time to meet and confer with regard to the amount of interest on retroactive benefits, and attorneys' fees owed, if any are owed, the Plaintiff shall have 30 days from the date of entry of this Judgment.

MetLife is to make the above payments in accordance with Plaintiff's payment instructions within thirty (30) days after entry of this Judgment.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: February 27, 2015



THE HONORABLE ANDRÉ BIROTTE JR.
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Approved as to Form:

DATED:

By: /s/ Glenn R. Kantor

GLENN R. KANTOR
ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF
KANIKA BLEDSOE

DATED:

By: /s/ Gail Cohen

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ATTORNEYS FOR DEFENDANTS
METROPOLITAN LIFE
INSURANCE COMPANY;
COLGATE-PALMOLIVE WELFARE
BENEFIT PLAN

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